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> Honorable Thomas P. Griesa United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 1630 New York, New York 10007

> > Re: United States v. Joseph Hargrave 08 - 501

Dear Judge Griesa:

With the consent of Assistant U.S. Attorney Nichole Friedlander, Pre Trial Services Officer Erika DePalma, and U.S. Probation Officer Diana Mercado, it is respectfully requested that Joseph Hargrave be permitted to travel to attend his 21th annual family reunion held on July 25 and 26, 2008 in Buffalo, New York. Mr. Hargrave would stay at the Seneca Niagara Casino Hotel, 310 Fourth Street, Niagara Falls, New York 14303, telephone 877-873-6322. He would drive to Buffalo on Thursday morning, July 24th, and return to New Jersey Sunday evening on the 27th.

Respectfully yours,

Martin L. Schmukler

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